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In re Application of:	:	
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U.S. Application No.: 10/520,954	:	DECISION REGARDING
PCT No.: PCT/EP03/07513	:	RENEWED SUBMISSION UNDER
International Filing Date: 10 July 2003	:	37 CFR 1.42
Priority Date: 12 July 2002	:	
Attorney's Docket No.: 14836-48177	:	
For: ILLUMINATING DEVICE AND	:	
OPTICAL OBJECT-ANALYZING	:	
DEVICE	:	

The present decision is issued in response to the "Response To Decision Regarding Submission Under 37 CFR 1.42" filed by applicants on 27 September 2005, treated herein as a renewed submission under 37 CFR 1.42. No petition fee is required.

BACKGROUND

The procedural background for this application was set forth in the decision mailed by this Office on 28 July 2005. In that decision, applicants' 17 June 2005 submission under 37 CFR 1.42 was rejected without prejudice for failure to include all the information required under 37 CFR 1.497(b)(2).

On 27 September 2005, applicants' filed the "Response To Decision Regarding Submission Under 37 CFR 1.42" considered herein. The submission includes a revised declaration.

DISCUSSION

The revised declaration accompanying the present submission contains the information required under 37 CFR 1.497(b)(2), including the citizenship, address, and residence information for both the deceased inventor and his legal representative. The supplemental declaration is therefore acceptable under 37 CFR 1.42.

CONCLUSION

Applicants' request for status under 37 CFR 1.42 with respect to deceased inventor Klaus SCHALLER is **GRANTED**.

This application is being returned to the National Stage Processing Branch of the Office Of PCT Operations for further processing in accordance with this decision. The date under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2), and (c)(4) is 27 September 2005.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'RMR', is positioned above the typed name.

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